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Mr. Ted Richmond  
COPA PRODUCTIONS, Inc.  
270 North Canon Drive  
Beverly Hills, California

Dear Mr. Richmond:

Thank you for your letter of January 9, asking us to reconsider your original request made by Jake Mogelever of the U.S. Treasury Department, that CIA cooperate with COPA Productions, Inc. by making available information on the NKVD.

It is regretted that CIA may not cooperate. It is not possible for CIA to supply you with information on this subject regardless of whether you would use it as factual or fictional material in the making of a picture.

It was very good of you to check with us on this subject and we are sorry that we may not in any way cooperate or permit any attribution to CIA on this subject.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

Stanley J. Grogan  
Assistant to the Director

cc: ✓ IG

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